

GEORGIA STATE BOARD OF OCCUPATIONAL THERAPY
Conference Call Meeting
April 9, 2007

A conference call for the Georgia State Board of Occupational Therapy was held on Monday April 09, 2007 at 2:30 p.m. in Room 310, Professional Licensing Boards, 237 Coliseum Drive, Macon, Georgia.

Members Present:

Kendyl R. Brock, OTR/L, CHT, President
Kathleen H. Conyers, OTR/L, Vice President
Donna J. Domyslawski, OTR/L
Karen L. Cadaret, COTA/L
Mary Louise Austin, Consumer

Absent:

Bikram Mohanty, Liaison

Others Present:

Brig Zimmerman, Executive Director
Wylencia Monroe, Assistant Attorney General

Serena Gadson, Application Specialist II
Amanda Allen, Board Secretary

Ms. Brock established a quorum of the Board was present and called the Board meeting to order at 02:35 pm.

Ms. Conyers moved and Ms. Domyslawski seconded, and the Board voted to enter into Executive Session in accordance with O.C.G.A. §43-1-2(k) (1) (2), to deliberate on Applications. Voting in favor of the motion were those present who included Board Members Brock, Domyslawski, Austin, Conyers, and Cadaret. The Board concluded Executive Session in order to vote on these matters and to continue with the public session.

Agenda:

Ms. Conyers moved, Ms. Austin seconded, and the Board voted to approve the Agenda as presented.

Minutes:

Ms. Domyslawski moved, Ms. Austin seconded and the Board voted to approve the Minutes from the Sub-Committee Review Meeting held on March 23, 2007.

Applications:

Ms. Domyslawski moved and Ms. Austin seconded and the Board voted to take the following actions on Licensure by Application:

Jackson, Terri Lynn	Approved
Stein, Melissa Jo.	Approved - **Waiver/Variance approved by Board.

Ms. Domyslawski moved and Ms. Austin seconded and the Board voted to take the following actions on Licensure by Restoration:

Ansel, Pamela Ann	Approved
Finch, Jessica Leigh	Approved
M.K.H	Issue under consent agreement/fine for unlicensed practice
T.D.M.	Approved Pending - **Approval for a partial waiver agreement
Steinhofer, Katherine H.	Approved

Ms. Domyslawski moved and Ms. Austin seconded and the Board voted to take the following actions on Physical Agent Modalities Applications:

Bhalerao, Jyoti	Approved
Bogorad, Alissa P.	Approved
Burkard, Elizabeth A.	Approved
Frey, Jennifer Ann	Approved
Firth, Diana Dell	Approved
Goulet, Jamie A.	Approved
Harkness, Amy	Approved

Jeras, Carol Ann	Approved
Johnson, Dedra S.	Approved
Lewis, Deidre R.	Approved
Ligon, Jessica L.	Approved
McNeil, Jane C.	Approved
Machin, Yasmine M.	Approved
Myers Lindsay A.	Approved
Patil, Shama S.	Approved
Pirkle, Rachel R.	Approved
Spital, David E.	Approved
W.D.T.	Approved Pending
Valme, Jacqueline	Approved
Van Rensburg, Amelia	Approved
Wilson, Vanessa	Approved

Ms. Domyslawski moved and Ms. Austin seconded and the Board voted to ratify the following reinstatements applications approved between meetings determined to have met licensure requirements as follows:

License No.	Licensee Name	Profession	Issue Date
OT003067	Battles, Denise M.	Occupational Therapist	2/2/2007
OTA000131	Fedor, Beth A.	Occupational Therapy Assistant	2/2/2007
OT002736	Mohesky, Lisa M.	Occupational Therapist	2/2/2007
OT003475	Deason, Summer M.	Occupational Therapist	2/27/2007

Ms. Domyslawski moved and Ms. Austin seconded and the Board voted to ratify the following limited permits issued between meetings determined to have met requirements as follows:

Name	Profession	Issue Date
Clifton, Jill Renee	OTA	2/7/2007
McClellan, Stacey Sue	OT	2/7/2007
Lightner, Anne	OT	2/7/2007
Waycaster, Leila June	OT	3/19/2007

Ms. Domyslawski moved and Ms. Austin seconded and the Board voted to ratify the following applications approved between meetings determined to have met licensure requirements as follows:

License No.	Licensee Name	Profession	Issue Date
OTA000991	Fisher, Maria B	Occupational Therapy Assistant	1/26/2007
OTA000992	Olin, Tonya Ann	Occupational Therapy Assistant	1/30/2007
OTA000993	Hicks, Omar Lewis	Occupational Therapy Assistant	2/20/2007
OTA000994	Dunston, Leonora Diane	Occupational Therapy Assistant	2/28/2007
OTA000995	Crosier, Nichole Virgilio	Occupational Therapy Assistant	2/28/2007
OTA000996	Clifton, Jill Renee	Occupational Therapy Assistant	3/9/2007
OTA000997	Evers, Rebecca Jane	Occupational Therapy Assistant	3/9/2007
OTA000998	Saintjoy, Maggie	Occupational Therapy Assistant	3/14/2007

Ms. Domyslawski moved and Ms. Austin seconded and the Board voted to ratify the following applications approved between meetings determined to have met licensure requirements as follows:

License No.	Licensee Name	Profession	Issue Date
OT004501	Fisher, Anne Wilson	Occupational Therapist	1/26/2007
OT004502	Bruce, Kimberly Machele	Occupational Therapist	1/30/2007
OT004503	Vaught, Ellen L	Occupational Therapist	1/30/2007
OT004504	Dean, Gregory Alan	Occupational Therapist	2/1/2007
OT004505	Joshi, Pooja Jagdeep	Occupational Therapist	2/6/2007
OT004506	Estes, Lyndsey Renee	Occupational Therapist	2/8/2007
OT004507	Gordon, Kara Renee	Occupational Therapist	2/12/2007
OT004508	Manning, Jimmy Brooks	Occupational Therapist	2/12/2007
OT004509	Carroll, Heather Jo	Occupational Therapist	2/20/2007

OT004510	Baker, Jennifer Marie	Occupational Therapist	2/26/2007
OT004512	Shields, Marlieka Elise	Occupational Therapist	2/26/2007
OT004513	Woods, Nancy Karen	Occupational Therapist	2/28/2007
OT004514	Reed, Carol Niman	Occupational Therapist	2/28/2007
OT004515	Carter, Denese Althea	Occupational Therapist	3/7/2007
OT004516	Williams, Shermisha Shervette	Occupational Therapist	3/9/2007
OT004517	Henson, Emily Mosgovoy	Occupational Therapist	3/9/2007
OT004518	Parker, Katherine Helen	Occupational Therapist	3/9/2007
OT004519	Williams, Tammy A	Occupational Therapist	3/9/2007
OT004520	Cuttray, Joy Nicole	Occupational Therapist	3/9/2007
OT004521	McClellan, Stacey Sue	Occupational Therapist	3/9/2007
OT004522	Swierenga, Debra Sue	Occupational Therapist	3/9/2007
OT004523	Tio, Jane Mayling Dy	Occupational Therapist	3/14/2007
OT004524	Costanilla, Zerill Dabon	Occupational Therapist	3/14/2007
OT004525	Baynard, Leah Minzon	Occupational Therapist	3/14/2007
OT004526	Freude, Anya Rebecca	Occupational Therapist	3/14/2007

Cynthia D. Hashem- **Ms. Domyslawski moved, Ms. Conyers seconded and the Board voted to suspend license due to failure of student loan repayment.**

Board Policy:

The Board along with recommendations made by Board Chair, Ms. Brock, agreed to discuss and possibly develop a Continuing Education policy for a CE Penalty Fine for any licensee issued a license during second year of renewal period and is exempt from C.E., but does not renew the license by March 31st or the late-lapsed renewal.

Ms. Wylencia Monroe, Assistant Attorney General, advised the Board that they might want to consider revising the Rule on CE instead of drafting a policy.

Mr. Zimmerman stated he would work on the wording for the rule revision and present it to the Board on their next scheduled Board meeting.

The Board voted to table discussion until the May meeting for a Rule change for Restoration to include the CE Penalty Fine as advised by Ms. Wylencia Monroe, Assistant Attorney General.

There being no further business to come before the Board, the meeting was adjourned at 3:10 p.m.

Minutes recorded by:

Amanda Allen, Board Secretary

Minutes reviewed and edited by:

Brig Zimmerman, Executive Director

Kendyl R. Brock, President

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